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Dated September 2, 2004

To: Director, Fish and Wildlife Service {Lead}

Director, National Park Service Director, Geological Survey

From: Team Leader, Natural Resources Management

Office of Environmental Policy and Compliance

Subject: Review of Notice of Amendment of License; Byllesby/Buck Project, FERC No. 2514-

093, Carroll County, Virginia

(ER 04/661)(Agency due date: September 27, 2004)

SPECIAL HANDLING

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission has requested the Department to review the application for the subject project. The document was issued on August 27, 2004 and can be viewed on the Commission's website at: http://www.ferc.gov, using the "eLibrary" Link.

Please review this application from your particular jurisdiction or special expertise and provide your comments **by September 20, 2004 to**: FWS Field Supervisor, Chesapeake Bay Office, 177 Admiral Cochrane Drive, Annapolis, MD 21401 (tel: 410-573-4573). If your bureau wishes to intervene, please follow the instructions in Environmental Review Memorandum ERM 99-2. **INTERVENTIONS ARE DUE BY September 27, 2004.**

The Chesapeake Bay Field Office, FWS, will prepare the Department's comments for signature by the Regional Environmental Officer in Philadelphia, PA by **September 22, 2004.**

Please supply all signed, paper comments and comments on disk or by electronic mail to the REO. Previous reviews are under ER 01/631, 04/074, and 04/088.

/s/09/2/04 Vijai N. Rai

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